

Helen R. Kanovsky, of Maryland, to be General Counsel of the Department of Housing and Urban Development.

Gabriella Cecilia Gomez, of California, to be Assistant Secretary for Legislation and Congressional Affairs, Department of Education.

Thomasina Rogers, of Maryland, to be a Member of the Occupational Safety and Health Review Commission for a term expiring April 27, 2015.

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Nominations Received: Senate received the following nominations:

Michael S. Barr, of Michigan, to be an Assistant Secretary of the Treasury.

Herbert M. Allison, Jr., of Connecticut, to be an Assistant Secretary of the Treasury. **Page S5043**

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Adjournment: Senate convened at 9:30 a.m. and adjourned at 2:39 p.m., until 2 p.m. on Monday, May 4, 2009. (For Senate's program, see the remarks of the Majority Leader in today's Record on page S5043.)

Committee Meetings

(Committees not listed did not meet)

No committee meetings were held.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

The House was not in session today. The House is scheduled to meet at 12:30 p.m. on Monday, May 4, 2009.

Committee Meetings

COLLEGE FOOTBALL—BOWL CHAMPIONSHIP SERIES FAIRNESS

Committee on Energy and Commerce: Subcommittee on Commerce, Trade, and Consumer Protection held a hearing on The Bowl Championship Series: Money and Other Issues of Fairness for Publicly Financed Universities. Testimony was heard from the following: John D. Swofford, Commissioner, Atlantic Coast Conference; Craig Thompson, Commissioner, West Mountain Conference; Derrick Fox, President and CEO, Valero Alamo Bowl, Football Bowl Alliance; Craig Thompson, Commissioner, West Mountain Conference; and Gene Bleymaier, Athletic Director, Boise State University.

CYBER NETWORK THREATS/POLICY CHALLENGES

Committee on Energy and Commerce: Subcommittee on Communications, Technology and the Internet held a hearing on Cybersecurity: Network Threats and Policy Challenges. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

Joint Meetings

No joint committee meetings were held.

CONGRESSIONAL PROGRAM AHEAD

Week of May 4 through May 9, 2009

Senate Chamber

On *Monday*, at approximately 3 p.m., Senate will resume consideration of S. 896, Helping Families Save Their Homes Act, and after a period of debate, vote on or in relation to Vitter Amendments No. 1016 (to Amendment No. 1018) and 1017 (to Amendment No. 1018) at 5:30 p.m.

During the balance of the week, Senate may consider any cleared legislative and executive business.

Senate Committees

(Committee meetings are open unless otherwise indicated)

Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry: May 7, to hold hearings to examine the nominations of Krysta Harden, of Virginia, to be Assistant Secretary, Rajiv J. Shah, of Washington, to be Under Secretary for Research, Education, and Economics, and Dallas P. Tonsager, of South Dakota, to be Under Secretary for Rural Development, all of the Department of Agriculture, 10:30 a.m., SR-328A.

Committee on Appropriations: May 6, Subcommittee on Energy and Water Development, to hold hearings to examine the range of innovative, non-geologic applications